



To become a contestant in the Schuylkill County Junior Idol 4 Contest, just fill out your registration form and song selection form, attach a photo of yourself, and return it all to the Schuylkill Mall Customer Service Center by **Sunday, February 5th, 2012.**

The contest will begin at 6 PM on February 7th.

Contestants will be responsible for providing their own karaoke music on a CD-R disc (an additional copy should be provided as a backup in case of error). Depending upon the number of registrants, contestants may be required to sing a shortened version of the song. Contestants should be prepared to sing all or only a portion of their chosen song. Once a contestant's song selection sheet has been submitted, the mall management will review the song and its lyrics. If the song selection is not appropriate for this event, you will be asked to select a different song. Contestants must perform the song listed on the selection sheet, unless the Mall is notified of a change by noon on **February 6th.**

(Management reserves the right to refuse any song choice)

Three special judges will score each contestant, on a scale of one to ten, in four categories: Stage Presence, Technical Ability, Overall Performance and Appearance. Judges scores will be tallied and the contestants with the highest overall scores will advance to the next round. The names of those who advance will be posted at Center Court, and on the mall web site, at 3:00 PM the day after the performances. An email will also be sent to all contestants who provide an email address on their registration form.

Judges' decisions are final and cannot be challenged.

The contest continues through the month of February on Tuesday evenings. Names of those advancing will continue to be posted at center court, and on the mall web site, at 3 PM the day after the performances.

Once the Semi-Final round is reached, contestants may be assigned songs by judges, choose from potluck songs, or may be tested in other ways. Expect surprises! Scoring will occur in the same manner listed above. The 3 contestants with the top scores will become the Finalists!

The final three contestants again expect to be 'tested' and the scoring will occur in the same manner. The 3 finalists will perform at 6pm on Tuesday, February 28th. The judges will tally their scores at the end of performances on the same night and the Schuylkill County Junior Idol will be revealed at 8:30pm.

The Schuylkill County Junior Idol will be awarded a \$1,000 mall shopping spree, a \$100 gift certificate and makeup consultation courtesy of the Bon-Ton, a makeover courtesy of Regis Hairstylists, a professional studio photo shoot courtesy of Michael's Photography, a caricature package courtesy of Angie Jordan, the chance to sing at the Schuylkill County Fair in August and much more!

Show Schuylkill County what you've got!